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	contribution is 36.33%, this takes it to 38.33%) • Increase of 2% to come from the same source used to pay member compensation.
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	contribution to increase 2% for every 1% increase in employer contribution. So, if
	the state only agrees to increase its contribution 1%, we will amend Section 3 of
	this bill so that employees only increase their contributions by 2%.
Section 6	 Increases the benefit multiplier used to calculate the retirement benefit from
19-6-502	2.5% to 2.6%
	Affects current employees & new hires
Section 7	Increases vesting period for early retirement from 5 years to 10 years
19-6-503	See comment under Section 3
	Affects new hires only
Section 8	 Increases disability retirement benefit multiplier from 2.5% to 2.6% for current
19-6-601	employees and new hires.
Section 9	 Inserts a cross reference to NEW SECTION 1 which decreases new hire GABA
19-6-707	
Section 10	 Inserts clarification that new hires are not eligible for the 3% GABA provided in
19-6-710	this section.
Section 11	 Inserts clarification that new hires are not eligible for the 3% GABA provided in
19-6-711	this section.
Section 12 19-6-801	Increases vesting requirement for purchase of military service credit from 5 years to 10 years.
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Section 13	 Affects new hires only
19-6-803	
13-0-303	 Increases vesting requirement for purchase of law enforcement service credit from 5 years to 10 years

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Section 14	 Increases vesting requirement for purchase of service credit from 5 years to 10
19-6-804	years
	See comment under Section 2
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Section 15 44-1-504	Makes clear that the State's increased contribution for HPORS cannot be taken from the HB 35 highway patrol pay and retention fund.
Section 16	Codification instruction
Section 17	Effective date of July 1, 2013
	Date corresponds with hire date to determine "new hires"